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AN ORDINANCE BY COUNCILMEMBER CLAIR MULLER

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ARTICLE II, SECTION 130 OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA CODE OF ORDINANCES TO PROVIDE FOR A MORE EFFICIENT, EQUITABLE, AND FISCALLY RESPONSIBLE MEANS OF PROVIDING SOLID WASTE SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, it is the goal of the City of Atlanta to continue to promote the safety, health, peace, and general welfare of the city and its inhabitants; and

WHEREAS, the current solid waste billing and collection program falls short of fully attaining these goals; and

WHEREAS, the current billing procedures are not an equitable means of collecting revenue from its customers; and

WHEREAS, the current billing procedures do not fully recover the costs of the services provided by the City through its Solid Waste services program; and

WHEREAS, the current program provides no incentive for residents to reduce the volume of solid waste they produce; and

WHEREAS, the City of Atlanta would like to provide the opportunity to reduce the cost for solid waste disposal to the property owner:

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA, GEORGIA as follows:

SECTION 1: Section 130 shall be amended.

<u>SECTION 5</u>: That all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.